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Presenting the Champions at the Missouri State Turkey Show, at Richland. Left to right: Hollis B. Franks, show manager, and George W. Hackett, who placed the awards. On the table are the champion winners in the various classes.

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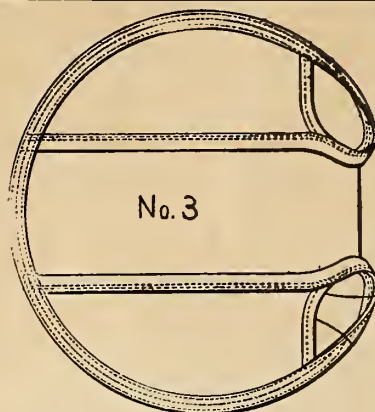
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Alexandria Show "Grand Success"

Northern States Turkey Show Attracts Total Entry of 330 Live and 300 Dressed

The 1941 Northern States Turkey Show, held at Alexandria, Minn., in connection with the Douglas County Poultry Association, was a grand success in every way. Entries in the Live Division comprised 330 birds from five states by 28 exhibitors. In the Dressed Division there were 300 entries by 20 exhibitors from 4 states. A large new addition to the Alexandria Armory was available for use of the show this year, adding greatly to the facilities for receiving and handling the live birds and for storage of shipping crates. A large section was reserved for the dressed exhibit, for which it was ideal. This left the upper room which was formerly used for the dressed exhibit, for the educational program, which proved a valuable asset to the show and with more room for the crowds that attended.

Classes — Judging

By classes there were 94 Bronze, 83 Narragansetts, 77 White Holland, 20 Bourbon Reds, 17 Blacks and 39 Broad Breasts. No Slates were entered. Judging began just before noon on Wednesday and continued until Friday P. M. before all sweepstakes and special awards were completed. The awards were placed by Judges Hackett and Angen.

Large crowds attended throughout the show and interest at the judging table was very keen, particularly when awards were being explained. Young birds were better matured than usual at that time of the year and all were in full plumage. Quality was very high in all classes, often making it difficult for the judges to decide top placings. However, the placings appeared to give complete satisfaction. Good sportsmanship is always in evidence at Alexandria.

To decide breed champions, all competing birds were brought out for careful comparison. Breed champions selected are listed elsewhere. When lined up in the special cooping prepared for all the Sweepstakes Winners, any of the group would have made a creditable Grand Champion, even at so fine a show.

The yearling Bronze tom owned by the Allen Turkey Farm proved a popular decision for the high honor, but both the White Holland hen owned by Herbie Olson, which was Reserve Champion, and Martinson's adult Narragansett tom, made hot competition, while Thieke's Champion Bourbon hen and Oakdale's Champion Black young tom were close up. The Champion Broad Breast, a yearling tom, exhibited by Sunnyslope Farm, of Nebraska, was a very fine specimen of his breed. Being non-standard, he was not eligible for sweepstakes competition.

Program, Broadcast and Entertainment

The weather was ideal throughout the

show, bringing many visitors from long distances. Educational programs were held on Thursday and Friday afternoons with prominent speakers including Dr. W. A. Billings and Dr. Herbert Sloan, of University Farm, St. Paul, Mr. Ben Reicke of Mankato, Minn., Mrs. Claude Wright of Aitkin, and many others. These programs were broadcast over a northwest network through WDAY, Fargo, Mr. Lloyd Larson in charge.

The annual banquet on Thursday night at Fireman's Hall, with more than 200 present, was the highlight of the social functions. At the close of the banquet the breed champions, grand champion and reserve champions of the Dressed Division of the show were auctioned off by Mr. Potratz of the Dr. Salsbury organization. The Grand Champion, owned by Sunnyslope Farm, Neb., brought the record price of \$4.50 per pound and the Reserve Champion, owned by Allen's Turkey Farm, sold at \$2.80 per pound.

Exhibitors who were present from a distance were: Mr. Jack DeWitt, of the Zeeland Hatchery, Zeeland, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. Al. Brown, of Nome, N. Dak.; Mr. Clarence Mairs & Son, Lisbon, N. Dak.; Mr. Earl Tanner, Gettysburg, S. Dak.; Mr. and Mrs. John O. Allen, Radium, Minn.; Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wright, Aitkin, Minn.; Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Krueger, Morris, Minn.; and Herbie Olson, Bergen, N. Dak. Other prominent exhibitors nearer by who were present throughout the show were: Mr. and Mrs. Ole Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Martinson and Son, and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Thompson, Kensington; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gilbertson and son Gillman, Mr. Alfred Foslein, Garfield; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Anderson, Swanville; Mr. E. F. Folsom, Little Falls; Mrs. Cora Strand, Evansville; Mr. and Mrs. Otto W. Thieke, Beardsley; Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Risbrudt, Dalton; Mr. M. J. Albjerg, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Behke, Vining; Bjorgum Bros., Fergus Falls; and Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Dalager, Glenwood, Minn.

Other turkey folk present but not showing were: Mrs. Wm. Eddie, Northwood, N. Dak.; Mrs. Eric Norrie, Crookston, Minn.; Mr. A. J. Gutzler and son Edwin, Park Rapids, Minn.; Dr. and Mrs. Bowden, Deerwood, Minn.; and L. L. Baumgartner, Litchfield, Minn. Mr. H. A. Derenthal, of Wykoff, Minn., president of the State Fair Board, was also present and spoke at the banquet, urging a better set-up for a real turkey show at the Minnesota State Fair.

Personnel and Set-up of Show

Although the usual amount of cooping was employed and with entries in the chicken division larger than usual a rearrangement of the cooping gave more room for commercial exhibits and also allowed

more space at front of show room for display of sweepstakes winners than usual. George Gilbertson, superintendent of turkeys, had charge of this arrangement. In handling the birds he was ably assisted by Earl Tanner and several of the exhibitors who volunteered their services.

The birds were carefully handled and well cared for. Emil Johnson was again in charge of the Dressed Division and was well assisted by John Allen and M. J. Albberg. The display was nicely arranged and attracted much attention. Prof. O. A. Barton again judged the exhibit and also the chicken entries. The general quality of the dressed exhibit was very good, the top specimens in all classes being of exceptional quality. Holger M. Hanson again acted as manager and did a fine job at it. Christ Fiskness, the veteran president of the show association, was on the job as usual after more than 25 years service. He deserves much credit for his untiring service and is accorded the highest esteem by all his associates. The Northern States Turkey Show is truly one of the GREAT turkey shows of the country.



LIVE TURKEY DIVISION

Exhibitors

Bronze: Allen Turkey Farm, Radium, Minn.; Earl Tanner, Gettysburg, S. Dak.; Howard E. Tanner, Gettysburg, S. Dak.; Herbert J. Brohman, Eckelson, N. Dak.; Alvin Risbrudt, Dalton, Minn.; M. J. Albberg, Clitherall, Minn.; E. F. Folsom, Little Falls, Minn.; Wright Turkey Farm, Aitkin, Minn.

Narragansett: George Gilbertson, Garfield, Minn.; Jim Martinson & Son, Kensington, Minn.; Oakdale Turkey Farm, Kensington, Minn.

Broad Breasted: Sunnyslope Farms, North Platte, Nebr.; Gilman Gilbertson, Garfield, Minn.; Edwin Thompson, Kensington, Minn.; Sisters of St. Benedict, St. Joseph, Minn.; Howard Tanner, Gettysburg, S. Dak.; O. O. Krueger, Morris, Minn.; Bjorgum Brothers, Fergus Falls, Minn.; Zeeland Hatchery, Zeeland, Mich.

White Holland: Al. M. Brown, Nome, N. Dak.; Herbie Olson, Bergen, N. Dak.; Mrs. S. M. Dalager, Glenwood, Minn.; Clarence Mairs & Son, Lisbon, N. Dak.; Alfred Foslien, Garfield, Minn.; Mrs. Cora Strand, Evansville, Minn.

Bourbon Red: Otto W. Thieke, Beardsley, Minn.; Martin Bekke, Clitherall, Minn.

Black: Oakdale Turkey Farm, Kensington, Minn.

Awards

BRONZE

Adult Tom (4): Elvin Risbrudt 1st, Howard E. Tanner 2nd, M. J. Albberg 3rd, Earl Tanner 4th.

Yearling Tom (10): Allen Turkey Farm 1st, Herbert J. Brohman 2nd, M. J. Albberg 3-8, Alvin Risbrudt 4-9, Howard Tanner 5th, Wright's Turkey Farm 6-7, Earl Tanner 10th.

Young Tom (29): Alvin Risbrudt 1-2-4-7-8-9, Allen Turkey Farm 3-5-15, M. J. Albberg 6-10-12-24-25, Howard Tanner 11-13-17-20, Earl Tanner 14-16-18-19-22-23, E. F. Folsom 21st.

Adult Hen (3): Earl Tanner 1st, Elvin Risbrudt 2nd, Howard Tanner 3rd.

Yearling Hen (7): Allen Turkey Farm 1st, Elvin Risbrudt 2-4-7, M. J. Albberg 3rd, Howard Tanner 5th, Earl Tanner 6th.

Young Hen (29): Elvin Risbrudt 1-2-5-6-8-9-17-21-23-24, Howard Tanner 3-4-10-11-12-20, Earl Tanner 7-15-18-19, Allen Turkey

Farm 13-16, M. J. Albberg 14-22-25.

Old Pen (1): Elvin Risbrudt 1st.

Young Pen (3): Elvin Risbrudt 1st, M. J. Albberg 2-3.

NARRAGANSETT

Adult Tom (3): Jim Martinson & Son 1st, Geo. Gilbertson 2nd, Oakdale Turkey Farm 3rd.

Yearling Tom (5): Geo. Gilbertson 1-3-4, Jim Martinson & Son 2nd, Oakdale Turkey Farm 5th.

Young Tom (24): Geo. Gilbertson 1-2-4-5-6-7-8-9-11-13-16, Oakdale Turkey Farm 3-10-18, Jim Martinson & Son 12-14-15-17-19-20.

Adult Hen (5): Oakdale Turkey Farm 1-4, Geo. Gilbertson 2nd, Jim Martinson & Son 3-5.

Yearling Hen (7): Jim Martinson & Son 1-5-7, Oakdale Turkey Farm 2-6, Geo. Gilbertson 3-4.

Young Hen (17): Geo. Gilbertson 1-2-3-4-7-9, Jim Martinson & Son 5-6-8-10, Oakdale Turkey Farm 11-12.

Old Pen (2): Oakdale Turkey Farm 1st, Jim Martinson & Son 2nd.

Young Pen (5): Geo. Gilbertson 1-3, Jim Martinson & Son 2-5, Oakdale Turkey Farm 4th.

WHITE HOLLAND

Adult Tom (2): Herbie Olson 1st, Al. M. Brown 2nd.

Yearling Tom (4): Herbie Olson 1st, Mrs. Cora Strand 2nd, Al. M. Brown 3rd, Clarence Mairs & Son 4th.

Young Tom (26): S. M. Dalager 1-3-6-12-13-14, Al. M. Brown 2-10-15, Herbie Olson 4-5-9-11, Alfred Foslien 7-17-18-19, Clarence Mairs & Sons 8th, Mrs. Cora Strand 16-20.

Adult Hen (4): Herbie Olson 1st, Alfred Foslien 2nd, S. M. Dalager 3rd, Al. M. Brown 4th.

Yearling Hen (13): Herbie Olson 1st, Cora Strand 2-4-5, Alfred Foslien 3-8, S. M. Dalager 6-11, Al. M. Brown 7-10-12, Clarence Mairs & Sons 9-13.

Young Hen (22): Cora Strand 1-3, Al. M. Brown 2-15-18, Herbie Olson 4-5, S. M. Dalager 6-8-11-19-20, Clarence Mairs & Son 7-12-13-14, Alfred Foslien 9-10-16-17.

Old Pen (1): Al. M. Brown.

Young Pen (2): Al. M. Brown 1st, S. M. Dalager 2nd.

BROAD-BREASTED

Yearling Tom (1): Sunnyslope Farms 1st.

Young Tom (10): Howard Tanner 1st, O. O. Krueger 2-5, Zeeland Hatchery 3rd, Sunnyslope Farm 4th, Edwin Thompson 6-9-10.

Yearling Hen (3): Zeeland Hatchery 1-3, Sunnyslope Farm 2nd.

Young Hens (13): Howard Tanner 1-5, Bjorgum Brothers 2-9, O. O. Krueger 3-8, Zeeland Hatchery 4-7, Edwin Thompson 6-10.

Old Pen (1): Sunnyslope Farm 1st.

Young Pen (3): Zeeland Hatchery 1st, Sunnyslope Farm 2nd, Bjorgum Brothers 3rd.

BOURBON RED

Adult Tom (1): Otto W. Thieke 1st.

Yearling Tom (2): Otto W. Thieke 1st, Martin Bekke 2nd.

Young Tom (4): Otto Thieke 1-2-3-4.

Adult Hen (1): Otto Thieke 1st.

Yearling Hen (2): Otto W. Thieke 1-2.

Young Hen (4): Otto W. Thieke 1-2-3-4.

Old Pen (1): Otto W. Thieke 1st.

Young Pen (1): Martin Bekke 1st.

BLACK

17 entries, all awards won by Oakdale Turkey Farm, Kensington, Minn.

Special Awards

Grand Champion: 1st yearling Bronze tom, Allen Turkey Farm.

Reserve Champion: Adult White Holland hen, Herbie Olson.

Master Breeder Award: Elvin Risbrudt 1st, Herbie Olson 2nd, George Gilbertson 3rd, Oakdale Turkey Farm 4th, Al. M. Brown 5th, Howard Tanner 6th.

Sweepstakes Display: Elvin Risbrudt.

Sweepstakes Pen: White Holland, Al. M. Brown.

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A BROAD-BREASTED STANDARD

By W. C. NICHOLS, Lee's Summit, Mo.

Discriminated against? Perhaps that's rather blunt, but where is the Broad Breast turkey breeder who, after coming from the A.P.A. shows, doesn't have that "left out" feeling?

The Broad Breast breeder did more than his part to increase the National Consumption of turkey meat 100% in the last ten years. He has trap-nested and progeny tested his birds and worked endless hours to produce a product the general public demanded. Though his turkeys are popular throughout the land and bring premiums on all the markets, he's not considered in the placing of the "Master Breeder Awards," nor can his birds have the Grand Champion or the Reserve Champion ribbons hang on his coops.

Many Broad Breast breeders are criticising the judges and also the American Poultry Association for this fault; not realizing that they alone can change the picture by presenting to the Association a full description in regard to the color and type of their turkeys. Compiling this information the A.P.A. would have material from which to base a standard.

As it is necessary to have a color pattern to distinguish these turkeys from the Standard Bronze, and as the A.P.A. objects to the term Broad Breasted Bronze, why not shorten the name to Broad Breasts?

Most breeders are familiar with the Standard set up by Judge H. P. Griffin and other prominent breeders largely responsible for the creation of the breed. We all agree to the Standard, the scale of points, and the general description they laid down. But, if the A.P.A. wants a color pattern and a slight change of name, then, by all means, let's give it to them at once. As previously mentioned, the name could be slightly changed with no one objecting; the color pattern could easily follow the general description of the Standard Bronze, except for a few changes which would separate them once and for all.

As the prominent A.P.A. Judge George W. Hackett remarked at the recent Missouri Turkey Show, "Sacrifice half the bronze and you still can have a beautiful bird." The body type being permanently established, and with judges already giving the consideration due the Broad Breast type, let's follow Judge Hackett's suggestion and establish a color pattern also.

I believe it would be permissible to follow the Bronze in color description for the head, eyes, beak, neck, side fluff, and wings; changing the back and tail pattern. From the neck to the middle of the back the bronze should gradually fade out, leaving lustrous black feathers from the middle of the back to the coverts. The main tail feathers well penciled in mahogany brown crossed

near the end with a wide black band, showing little, if any, bronze, and each feather should have a wide edging of white. The greater tail coverts to follow the same pattern. Overthrow of colors into the white should be guarded against.

This slight change in color would separate the Broad Breasts from the Bronze, would make them no less attractive and could be established very easily, as most strains of Broad Breasts run toward the pattern described.

I am sending my opinion to the American Poultry Association, 3030 Brady St., Davenport, Iowa; hoping all Broad Breast breeders will do the same in order that we, too, may have Grand Champions.

ALL-AMERICAN JUDGES

ADDITIONAL JUDGES ANNOUNCED

Announcement was made of the appointment of Cleve Angen, of Portland, N. Dak., as the third judge in the live section at the coming All-American. Those previously announced were George W. Hackett and M. C. Herner.

Prof. O. A. Barton, Poultry Extension department of the North Dakota Agricultural College, Fargo, has been appointed judge in the Dressed show. Mr. Barton is very well known to hundreds of turkey growers throughout the country as he has judged at a great many shows throughout the Northwestern region.

SHOW PLANS ALL READY

Dyke Page, new All-American manager, announced that all advance plans for the show had been completed and all would be in readiness when the doors opened January 12th. Early entries, or notice of intention to enter, have been received from many growers and include such states as Oregon, Missouri, New Hampshire, Nebraska, Saskatchewan and Alberta, as well as many others in the Northwestern Area. All advance indications point to a remarkably large and widespread entry in spite of war time conditions.

OHIO FIRST DRESSED SHOW

A dressed turkey show, sponsored by the Poultry Science Club of the Ohio State University, was held at Columbus on Dec. 4th. The number of entries is not reported although it is stated "It was a very good show considering it was the first of the kind held in Ohio." There was much interest taken by turkey growers and others. Among the exhibitors will be found the names of several who annually exhibit at the Ohio State Fair. Awards follow:

Heavy Young Toms, 20 lbs. or over: Mr. and Mrs. Karl Hutchinson, Clyde, 1st; John Beckley, Mason, 2nd; Kuns Turkey Farm, Payne, 3rd; Lifer Turkey Farm, Danville, 4th; Fred Schwartzmiller, Tiffin, 5th.

Light Young Toms: Griffin & Sons, Galena, 1st; Hutchinsons, 2nd; Lifer Turkey Farm,

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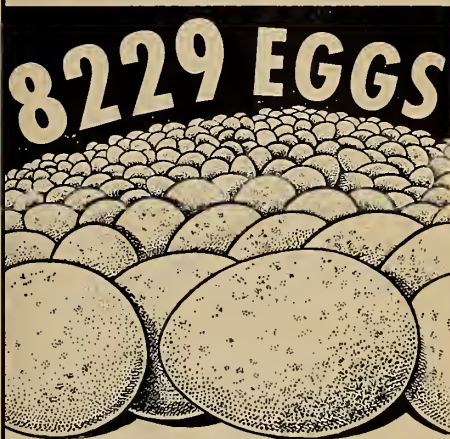


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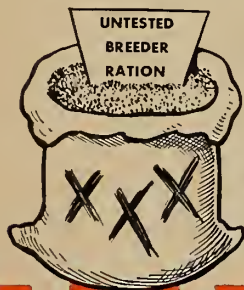
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Heavy Young Hens: Hutchinsons, 1st; McLain Turkey Farm, Lima, 2nd; Kuns Turkey Farm, 3rd; Beckley Turkey Farm, 4th; Huber Hatchery, Fostoria, 5th.

Light Young Hens: Mrs. Earl Chambers, Columbus, 1st; Hutchinsons, 2nd; Griffiths, 3rd; Lifer Turkey Farm, 4th; McLain, 5th.

First young tom exhibited by Mr. and Mrs. Karl Hutchinson, weighing 34 pounds, was awarded Grand Champion. All birds were sold at auction at the close of show, the grand champion bringing 76c per pound. It is believed the stage is now set for a much larger show next year.

FINE OAKLAND SHOW DESPITE BLACKOUTS

Despite the sudden apparition of war, accompanied by blackouts, radio stations blotted out, and a stunned people, the Northwestern Turkey show successfully staged an exhibition for 150 different exhibitors, which equalled any of the past in interest and competition. Over 1100 entries were displayed in the three sections, about 150 in the Standard, 530 in the dressed, and the remainder in the Live Utility. Most of the Utility were Broad Breast breeding birds from Washington, Oregon and California.

In the Standard show, the Grand Champion went to Roy Medley, on a Bronze Old Hen, and Reserve Champion to A. D. Hudson, on a Yearling Tom. Sweepstakes was taken by Strong's, and Master Breeders by Henry Domes. Champion Black and Best Display of Blacks was taken by Mrs. Leatherwood, of Oakland, and the same honors in Bourbon Reds was won by Ward Cockeram. Domes won all White honors. Herbert Brohman, of Sanborn, North Dakota, entered six entries, one in each class, and won Best Display of Bronze.

The Live Utility show had immense interest among the Bronze Broadbreast breeders. Young tom and young hen classes were divided on three weights, light, medium and heavy. Old hens and old toms were in two classes, light and heavy. Lyons won Grand Champion, and Henry Medike, of Yoncalla, Reserve. Lyons won a wonderful list of places in both dressed and utility divisions, with his heavy strain of Broad Breasts.

The special prize of "Best Three Young Toms" was won by Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Arnett, of Linn county.

In the utility sections of other breeds, Strong's took all firsts and Champion in the Narragansetts, Arnett's won Champion Black; Roy Truitt, Champion Bourbon; Henry Domes, Champion White and all firsts.

The Dressed Show surpassed the contest of the previous two years. Grand Champion was won by R. D. Mitchell on an Old Tom. Mitchell won Grand Champion in 1935 and 1936. Lyons swept the show in the heavy classes with a large string of beauties. Second Best Display went to Wilbur Brown of Roseburg.

Champion Narragansett went to Glen Good, of Fall Creek, Dressed Display to Strong's, Champion Bourbon to Cockeram, also Display, Champion Black and Display to Mrs. Leatherwood, and Champion White and Display to Domes.

The banquet on Friday evening was held under blackout conditions. Palmer Hoyt, an editor of Portland, Oregon, delivered a defense address. Mrs. Vernon Orr, of Roseburg, won the dress or costume contest, Queen Bea II crowned the winners, and Carver Hamilton, of Oakland, and Evelyn Thiele, of Yancalla, won the dressing or picking contests.

Officers were all reelected Thursday evening for the next year.

NORTH DAKOTA SHOW DISPLAYS FINE BIRDS

The North Dakota State Turkey Show, held at Minot, December 1 to 6, was the 11th annual holding of this fast-growing turkey event. An entry of 189 live and 47 dressed birds was on display, with placings made by Judge P. M. Pierce, of Denver, in the live division and Prof. O. A. Barton, of the North Dakota A. C., in the dressed division. Both judges pronounced the show as carrying the finest of quality in both live and dressed entries.

Grand Champion of the show was won by Mr. and Mrs. Albert Payne, of Towner, with a beautiful Adult Narragansett Tom from their nationally famous flock of this breed. Dressed Champion was won by William Keup, of Mohall, with a Broad-Breasted Young Hen, from his flock of 2100 of this breed.

Highlights of turkey show week at Minot included the annual dinner and election of the North Dakota Turkey Improvement association and the annual turkey show banquet, both of which were well attended both by turkey growers and Minot businessmen, who take an active interest in their fine show. Cassius Hardy, of Ross, was reelected president of both the show and the improvement organization. R. L. Aney arranged the programs.

The entire dressed exhibit was sold on sealed bids at the close of the show to the Red Owl stores for the second consecutive year. Roy Earsley, Minot, ably served as show superintendent, aided by Mrs. Earsley, as show clerk. Clair O. Southam is general chairman. Leslie E. Maupin is secretary of the show.

The Awards LIVE DIVISION NARRAGANSETT

Mr. and Mrs. Payne: Adult tom 1st, yearling tom 2-3, young tom 1-2-4-5-6-9, adult hen 2-3, yearling hen 2-4, young hen 1-2-5-6-7.

Mrs. Marie Ellsworth, Eckman: Adult tom 2nd, adult hen 1st, young hen 3-9.

Lars Lovig, Bantry: Yearling tom 4th, yearling hen 1st, young hen 4th.

Mrs. Nelson: Yearling tom 1st, young tom 3-7, adult hen 4th, yearling hen 3rd, young hen 8th.

BRONZE

Mrs. Lovig: Adult tom 1st, yearling tom 2-6, young tom 6th, adult hen 3rd, yearling hen 5th.

Mrs. Frank Zimmerman, Drake: Yearling tom 3-5, adult hen 2nd, yearling hen 3-6.

Mrs. Espeseth: Yearling tom 1st, young tom 5-7, adult hen 4th, yearling hen 4th, young hen 5-7.

Arthur Orth, Granville: Young tom 1-4, adult hen 1st, yearling hen 1-7, young hen 2-3-4-6.

Valentine Brossert, Tunbridge: Young tom 2-3, yearling hen 2nd, young hen 1st.

Nick Brossert, Tunbridge: Yearling tom 7th.

WHITE HOLLAND

Herbie Olson: Adult tom 1st, yearling tom 1-3, young tom 1-2-3-4-5, adult hen 1-2-3, yearling hen 1-2-3-4-6, young hen 1-2-3-4.

Mrs. John Anderson, Ross: Yearling tom 2nd, yearling hen 5th, young hen 5-6.

BOURBON RED

Orvin Olson, Bergen: Yearling tom 3rd, young tom 1-4-5-6, yearling hen 1-2-4-5, young hen 1-4.

Mrs. Swensrud: Yearling tom 2-4, young tom 2-3, yearling hen 3rd.

Ernest Haga, Bergen: Yearling tom 1st.

BLACK

Mrs. Ball: Adult tom 1st; yearling tom 1-2-3, adult hen 1-2, yearling hen 1st, young hen 1-2-3.

BROAD-BREASTED

Wm. Keup, Mohall: Yearling tom 1-4, young tom 1-2-3-5, young hen 1-2-3-4-5-8.

Wayne Shipman, Granville: Yearling hen 1st.

Bryan Hystad, Velva: Yearling hen 2nd.

Valentine Brossert: Yearling tom 6th, yearling hen 4th.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis W. Holte, Bergen: Yearling hen 7th.

Special Prizes

Herbie Olson won special prizes for winning the most points in the live bird division, for the four best young hens, for the best young tom, for having the reserve grand champion and for the four best young toms.

Other special prizes included Mrs. Ellsworth, new exhibitor with most birds; Mrs. Nelson, most points for Ward county exhibitor; Mrs. Ball, best young hen; Mrs. Zimmerman, exhibitor coming longest distance; and Payne, the International Narragansett club prize.

Wayne Shipman won the special prize for being the youngest exhibitor in the live division.

DRESSED DIVISION

In the dressed bird division judging, which was done by O. A. Barton, extension poultry specialist from the N.D.A.C., Fargo, Mr. and Mrs. Payne garnered a total of 152 points with their 19 entries. Wm. Keup won Grand Champion with his Broad Breasted young hen. He also was second in points with 84.

The Paynes took top honors in each classification in the Narragansett breed. Their birds ranked: Old tom 1st, old hen 1-4, heavy young tom 1-2, light young tom 1-2-3, heavy young hen 1-2-3, light young hens 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8.

Orville Haga of Bergen won second and sixth for his old hens. Mrs. Marie Ellsworth, Eckman, won third and fifth for old hens and ninth with a light young hen.

Broad-Breasted Class

In the Broad-Breasted breed, Keup's birds ranked: Heavy young toms 1-2-3, heavy young hens 1-2-4-5-7-9, light young hens 1-2.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Holte, Bergen, had third, sixth and eighth place Broad-Breasted heavy young hens and third place light young hen.

In the Bourbon Reds, Orvin Olson, Bergen, had first place heavy and light young toms and first and second place heavy young hens.

Mrs. John Anderson of Ross had the first place young White Holland hen and first and second place old hens.

Mrs. George Ball's old hen won first place in the Black class.

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THE HOLIDAY SEASON

While the annual holiday season is very important to the turkey raiser as the principal marketing month the grower who does not sense the finer aspects of this season is missing a great deal.

The kindly thoughts, the well wishes, and the whole friendly spirit that Christmas inspires could never be measured in money and now, with the world torn to shreds by war, they are received more gratefully than ever.

In the busy work-a-day life we do not forget our friends and we communicate with them frequently, almost always on business matters. But at Christmas time it is different. We all stop and think of the great significance of the day and we are mellowed with the richness of a holy and kindly spirit which pervades all the land. Remembrance brings back to us the many kindly deeds done for us during the past year, all of them inspired by true friendship and the desire to be helpful to others.

It is good that at Christmas time we express again our appreciation for all these kind deeds and it is good that we can stop in the midst of a busy world and take note of these beautiful things of the spirit.

For the writer, the most pleasant task of the year is the sending of his personal and heartfelt greetings to the many friends, new and old, that a busy life have brought. And there is no Christmas thrill quite like that of receiving in return cards of pleasant and friendly greeting from far and near, each one a further proof that the spirit of good will on earth still lives in the heart of man.

From them all we have gained courage and strength for strenuous days which may lie before us. We have the proof of true friendship and know its real value. There is no money equation in this. It has to come through the channel from which all good does come and can be obtained in no other way. Yes, the Holiday Season is a great time for turkey folks and we know of no group of like number who get more out of friendly associations than turkey folks do, leaving cash values out of it.

And now for 1942 The American Turkey Journal wishes all our friends, all our readers and all turkey folks everywhere a MOST HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS YEAR.

TURKEY BANDING IN THE OZARKS

Many of our readers have heard interesting stories about the Ozarks but have never seen them. Many naturally think of them as a chain of mountains comparable to other mountains they have seen. The fact is they are not really mountains, as the highest elevation in the vast area is less than 2,500 feet, with the average top of elevations probably not more than 1,500 feet. Between these higher ridges are narrow valleys, through some of which springs, brooks and streams of various sizes flow the year around. In some of these valleys will be found the dry creek bed supplied with water only following heavy rains or in wet seasons, and the latter does not often occur.

In most cases these streams, dry or wet, are not bridged but gravel or stony bottoms make passages safe except when water gets too deep and there are plenty of interesting stories about experiences at such times. The Ozarks in general are covered with timber, mostly oak of various sizes and value, ranging from scrub small growth to sawlog size. Land holdings of those I contacted ranged from 40 to several hundred acres with tillable plots of from 5 to 40 acres with a few exceptions both ways.

From the higher elevations one can look off many miles over the rough terrain, spotted with small open plots and with unpretentious homes neatly set in sheltered spots. In the wider valleys, where there is usually a live stream, the stretches of open land are wider and appear to be very fertile. On these

farms I noted several fine herds of "white faces" feeding on lespedesa or in corn stalks, demonstrating that diversified farming is practiced even in the Ozarks, but this was in the northern edge of the Ozarks where conditions and opportunity are much better than in some sections I have seen. However, it is all beautiful to look at in summer or autumn.

I have given you a look at the country where I found a fine bunch of turkey people and now I will tell you something of their turkeys. From all that could be observed the country seems to be ideal for turkey raising, in fact in the earlier days it was the natural haunt of large flocks of wild turkeys, with acorns as their principal fall and winter feed and on which many of the tame flocks still grow fat and vigorous.

Within a radius of 15 miles of Richland, I banded a dozen flocks with a total of about 1,600 turkeys, in numbers from 30 up to 450 but mostly of less than 100 per flock. While a large majority banded were Bronze, by flocks they were nearly even in number between Bronze and Bourbon Reds. I might say that Richland is only a few miles from Lebanon, where the famous flock of Mrs. Gladys Honssinger's Bourbons was developed and their influence has been felt throughout that country. While the average quality in the flocks handled could be rated only as fair I did find many very fine birds in most of the flocks, some of them good enough for the hottest competition at the larger shows.

Without exception I found everyone anxious to learn more about what constituted top quality and how to mate their flocks to improve them. This was the second turkey show held at Richland and the first year banding had been done in these flocks. There was ample help at every farm because the people of the Ozarks are neighbors and turned out to help and to learn. All expressed much satisfaction with the work and what information it had brought them. These folks are not raising nearly the number of turkeys it would seem profitable to raise. While some have good, semi-modern homes others are more modestly situated and have not grasped the possibilities which turkeys might hold for them. But here again the show and the banding work is bound to work wonders for them and I believe do much to bring Missouri back to its former prominent place among the states in turkey growing.

All those having banding done this year belong to the Central Turkey Association and are as follows: Bronze: Mr. and Mrs. C. W. McMicken, Mrs. A. H. Knight, Mrs. Cral Evans, Mrs. J. W. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Goforth, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gibson; Bourbon Reds: Mrs. Grace Bryan, Mrs. Anna Brackett, Mrs. Alvin Brackett, Mrs. Melvin Ogle, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Dowty; Blacks: Mrs. Anna Brackett; Royal Palms: Mrs. J. L. Gibson.

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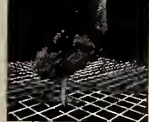
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MISSOURI HOLDS FINE SHOW

By the Editor

While Missouri has long been noted for its good turkeys we were pleasantly surprised to find so fine an entry of well on to 300 birds cooped in classified arrangement in a beautifully decorated show room, including a "Court of Honor."

Classifications for competition were complete excepting for pens, which were omitted for lack of cooping space. The entries covered all the six standard breeds and 3 non-standard—the Broad Breasts, the Royal Palms and the Small Whites. This was unusual for any show and particularly so for the second event of this organization.

The winning birds in every class were of very high quality, many of them fit to compete in the strongest classes at largest



Judge George W. Hackett (left) who placed the awards at the Missouri State Show, and Mr. W. C. Nichols, Lee's Summit, Mo., with his Champion Broad Breasted Adult Tom.

shows. Much praise is due Mr. Hollis B. Franks, manager, for the splendid way in which the show was handled. Others who took active part at the show, and to whom much credit is due were: Ivan Carlton, secretary; Malcom Brown, assistant secretary; and Chas. W. McMicken, superintendent. Mrs. O. Bryan, president, and Prof. J. H. Trippe, vice president, were also active and helpful.

The friendly attitude of all the exhibitors, their fine sportsmanship and keen desire to learn were outstanding characteristics of all present. Interest was keen throughout and the whole town and community seemed united to make the show a success, and they did.

The banquet held on Friday night was fine and included several musical numbers.

Richland is situated in the north edge of the Ozark mountains and the adjoining country consists of continuous hills and valleys, small fields and here and there narrow stretches of flat bottom land along creeks and rivers. Most of the terrain is covered with timber of various sizes and most of the ridges are stony and with thin surface soil. Drainage is good and shelter for turkeys is ideal.

We can see no reason why the growth of the turkey industry in this section should not be greatly extended and this show serve a definite, helpful purpose in such a program. It can and should become one of the leading turkey shows of the entire country.



A group of the prominent exhibitors at the Richland, Missouri, State Turkey Show.

The Awards

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Hornbuckle of Plad, Missouri, won the highest honor, Master Breeder's Award, with a most beautiful display of White Hollands. One of their White Holland yearling toms was the Grand Champion of the Show, which contained 263 high class turkeys from some of the best flocks in the United States.

A bronze yearling tom, owned by Mrs. J. W. Davis, Richland, Missouri, was selected Reserve Champion by the renowned Judge Geo. W. Hackett of Wayzata, Minnesota, who did a splendid job of picking the winners. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. McMicken, Richland, Mo., won the Best Display Award.

In the Junior Division, which was added this year for the Future Farmers of America and 4-H Club members, Kenneth Ogle of Richland, Missouri, won the Junior Championship with a Bourbon Red yearling tom. A Narragansett hen, owned by Roy Snoderly, Richland, Missouri, was the Reserve Junior Champion. Dale Bryan, Richland, Missouri, won the Best Display Award in the Division with a beautiful group of Royal Palms.

The Missouri Turkey Show reached its climax Saturday at 10:00 A. M. after the judging was completed and all Champions placed in the Court of Honor, when a big Christmas-Turkey Parade was staged downtown. The parade was headed by Santa Claus and the Missouri Turkey Queen, Miss Gene Pickering, a beautiful little blonde who is a junior in the Richland High School.

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NARRAGANSETT CLUB NOTES

A. C. Payne, President - - Towner, N. Dak.
Mrs. Wm. Eddle, Vice Pres., Northwood, N. D.
Mrs. Ole Nelson, Sec'y-Treas., Kensington, Minn.

The Northern States Show was held Nov. 25 to 29. The weather was ideal all week, which helped to make the show a great success. There were not quite as many Narragansett entries as there are some years, but the quality was very good. George Gilbertson won the Best Display Narragansett in both the live and dressed divisions. He also won Champion Narragansett in the dressed division. The Champion Narragansett in the live division was won on an adult tom exhibited by Jim Martinson.



Mrs. Ole C. Nelson

I am glad to announce that we have a new member this month. He is Herman Sheumann of Decatur, Ind. He is the owner of Silver Bar Turkey Farm. At present Mr. and Mrs. Scheumann and their four children are on a vacation trip to Florida. We hope he will write and tell us about his trip when he comes back.

I was very pleased to receive a letter from our president, Mr. Payne, just recently. He states in part: "I do believe we have a turkey that can speak for itself in the showroom, or on the platter, and we can still get them in the oven. The North Dakota State Show is now history and from the standpoint of numbers and, I believe, quality the Narragansetts were out in the front. We were able to get the Grand Champion bird again."

"We were also able to secure enough club members to award the very fine trophy sent out by the club and I am sending a check for the following members Mrs. Geo. Nelson, Minot, N. Dak.; Mrs. Marie Ellsworth, Eckman, N. Dak., who is a new member; Mr. Cassius Hardy, Ross, N. Dak., and myself. We were fortunate enough to win this trophy and we wish to thank the club for it."

We wish to congratulate Mr. Payne on his fine winnings at the State Show. We are especially pleased to hear he again won the Grand Champion award on one of his fine Narragansetts.

Those who paid up their club dues at the time of the Northern States Show were: Mrs. Wm. Eddle, Northwood, N. Dak.; Geo. Aldous, Sauk Center, Minn.; Jim Martinson, Kensington, Minn.; Neils Pedersen, Garfield, Minn.; and then our own.

We should all begin now to make plans for attending the All-American Turkey Show, Jan. 12-16, at Grand Forks. Let us all do our part to make the Narragansett exhibit the largest and best in the history of the show. Remember the annual meeting of our club will be held during the show.

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Mrs. W. J. Janda, Sec'y - St. Hilaire, Minn.

I am sorry I missed the Northern States Turkey Show at Alexandria, Minn. From what I have heard about it, it must have been a great success. Again the glorious Bronze won top honors. The Allen's of Radium, Minn., won Grand Champion in the live division with a Standard Bronze yearling tom, also Reserve Champion in the dressed division, besides other high placings. Alvin Risbrudt's, of Dalton, Minn., won Master Breeders display with a beautiful string of Bronze. (Congratulations to all the winners and here's hoping the Standard Bronze will always be at the top.)



Mrs. W. J. Janda

Mrs. Allen sent in the following memberships from exhibitors of the show: Mr. John Brustad, Osakis, Minn., has a beautiful farm home a short ways out of town. His fine Bronze turkeys are one of the attractions on the place. They also raised a number of excellent Narragansetts.

Nels Pederson, Garfield, Minn., is a real Standard Bronze booster.

Claude Wright's of Aitkin, Minn., need no introduction, as they are known far and wide as breeders of quality Standard Bronze. They were among the first, if not the first, to trapnest turkey hens for egg production and production records. The last years they have erected a modern home on their turkey farm and also installed a large hatching unit at Aitkin.

Mr. Albjerg, Vining, Minn., has been raising Standard Bronze for many years and intends to continue for many more years to come.

Mr. E. F. Folsom, Route 2, Little Falls, Minn., formerly of Parkers Prairie, is a staunch supporter of the Standard Bronze. He has raised them for many years and has shown at many of the leading shows. Besides raising turkeys he can talk turkeys, and he knows his turkeys from A to Z.

I had a very interesting letter from Mrs. O. J. Weisner, and am sure many of you who know them will be interested to know that they are now living at Holland, Michigan. Mr. Weisner is manager of the Holland Laboratories, Inc., makers of poultry medications. They like their new location very much, especially as they are former residents of Michigan. Holland is in the heart of the chicken country in Michigan. (We wish you much success in your new venture.)

At the Missouri State Turkey Show, at Richland, Standard Bronze came in for their share of high honors. While Grand Champion was won by a White Holland tom, a yearling Bronze tom exhibited by Mrs. J. W. Davis won Reserve Champion and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. McMicken won Sweepstakes Display of the entire show on a fine string and Mrs. M. P. Evans won

Champion Young Tom of the show. At this show Standard Bronze were again the largest class with a lot of good boosts present. There is sure to be a big class of Bronze at the Watertown, S. Dak., show Jan. 6-9, and then comes the big grand "round-up" at the All-American, Grand Forks, Jan. 12-16.

Let's make this the biggest and best Bronze show held in recent years. Our annual Club Meeting will be held during this show and there are always important and interesting matters to discuss at these annual meetings. Let's have a big attendance as we are always assured of a grand time at the All-American. Our Club Trophies will be awarded in both live and dressed classes at this show. They are worth competing for. And, members, don't forget I need your letters telling of your experiences and successes to make our Club Notes more interesting.

MRS. W. J. JANDA, Sec'y.

LARGE ATTENDANCE AT ROSEBUD (S. DAK.) SHOW

The largest annual all-turkey show in South Dakota was held on December 1-3, 1941, at Winner. The show, now three years old, attracted long time breeders of turkeys from all parts of the state.

Facing the "hottest" competition in the history of the show, Mrs. W. L. Drahos' Bronze young tom won the coveted Grand Championship away from Clarence Cadwell's Reserve Champion Narragansett yearling hen, Grace Baxter's Bronze yearling hen, and 130 other excellent birds. The Grand Champion was a beautiful bird, and one which, in the words of the judges, "would go a long ways in any show in the United States." Judging was done by Howard Tanner, APA, Gettysburg, South Dakota, assisted by Raphael Brandriet, Extension Poultryman. Many satisfied comments were made about the way the judging of those larger classes was handled.

Classes for all varieties of live turkeys were formed and only the Slates and Blacks were not represented. The heaviest bird in the show was a Broad Breasted yearling tom owned by Mrs. Jack Casey, which tipped the scales at 40 pounds. Mrs. Casey also was awarded the prizes for having the heaviest young tom and young hen at the show.

The three days were "chock full" of entertainment. The following are some of the outstanding events: The release of six wild turkey hens from an aeroplane over the city of Winner. All of the turkeys landed unhurt but were soon caught by both local residents and visitors, becoming the property of the captors. The walking of the Broad Breasted Toms for the benefit of the judges. The giving away of 700 free turkey sandwiches to visitors of the show. A lecture about "Turkey Diseases" by Dr. G. S. Weaver, Extension Veterinarian. The turkey auction, the afternoon of the final day, when forty-six turkeys were sold.

THE AWARDS

Champions

Grand Champion: Bronze young tom, Mrs. W. L. Drahos, Colome.

Reserve Champion: Narragansett yearling hen, Clarence Cadwell, Colome.

Breed Champions: **Bronze**, young tom, Mrs. W. L. Drahos; **Narragansett**, yearling hen, Clarence Cadwell; **Bourbon Red**, adult tom, J. E. Winslow, Colome; **White Holland**, yearling hen, Mrs. Alvin Steele, Millboro; **Broad Breasted**, young tom, Mrs. W. L. Drahos; **Royal Palm**, young hen, Mrs. Grace Bryan, Richland, Mo.; **Wild**, young tom, S. N. Friday, White River; **4-H Class**, Narragansett young hen, Dorothy Hellman, Millboro.

Placings by Breeds

BRONZE

Adult Tom: Mrs. Lyman Drahos, Colome, 1st; Frank Zaske, Draper, 2nd.

Adult Hen: Grace Baxter, Hazel, 1st; Mrs. Fred L. Buss, Bradley, 2-4; Mrs. Lyman Drahos, 3rd; Chester Covey, Hamill, 5th.

Yearling Tom: Mrs. Lyman Drahos, 1st; Mrs. Fred L. Buss, Bradley, 2nd.

Yearling Hen: Grace Baxter, 1st; Mrs. Lyman Drahos, 2-3; Frank Zoske, Draper, 4-5.

Young Tom: Mrs. Lyman Drahos, 1st; Grace Baxter, 2-3-4-5.

Young Hen: Grace Baxter, 1st; Mrs. Lyman Drahos, 2-3; Mrs. Fred L. Buss, 4th; Chester Covey, 5th.

NARRAGANSETT

Adult Hen: Frank Ruffing, Winner, 1st; Clarence Cadwell, Colome, 2nd.

Yearling Tom: Clarence Cadwell, 1st.

Yearling Hen: Clarence Cadwell, 1-4-5; Frank Ruffing, 2-3.

Young Tom: Frank Ruffing, 1-2-3; Clarence Cadwell, 4-5.

Young Hen: Clarence Cadwell, 1-2-3; Dorothy Hellman, Millboro, 4th; Frank Ruffing, 5th.

BOURBON RED

Adult Tom: J. E. Winslow, Colome, 1st.

Yearling Tom: Mrs. E. J. Danaher, Winner, 1st.

Yearling Hen: Mrs. E. J. Danaher, 1st.

Young Tom: Mrs. E. J. Danaher, 1-2; John Pospisil, Colome, 3-4; Mrs. George Eddie, Winner, 5th.

Young Hen: Mrs. George Eddie, 1-5; Mrs. E. J. Danaher, 2-4; John Pospisil, 3rd.

WHITE HOLLAND

Yearling Tom: Frank Vavra, Jr., Clearfield, 1st; Mrs. Alvin Steele, Millboro, 2nd.

Yearling Hen: Mrs. Alvin Steele, 1st.

Young Tom: Frank Vavra, Jr., 1-2.

Young Hen: Frank Vavra, Jr., 1-2.

BROAD-BREASTED

Yearling Tom: Mrs. Jack Casey, Wood, 1-2.

Yearling Hen: Mrs. Dave Coash, Winner, 1st; Mrs. Jack Casey, 2nd.

Young Tom: Mrs. Lyman Drahos, 1-2-3; Bill Oakes, Winner, 4th; Mrs. Jack Casey, 5th.

Young Hen: Bill Oakes, 1-4; Mrs. Dave

Coash, 2nd; Mrs. Jack Casey, 3-5.

ROYAL PALM

All awards won by Mrs. Grace Bryan, Richland, Missouri.

WILD

All awards won by S. N. Friday, White River.

4-H Class

BRONZE

Young Tom: Dennis Pospisil, Colome, 1st; Lorraine Intorn, Colome, 2-5; Ina Hauff, Winner, 3rd; Cecil Hauff, Winner, 4th.

Young Hen: Dennis Pospisil, 1-3; Ina Hauff, 2nd; Cecil Hauff, 4th; Julia Hrabanek, Colome, 5th.

NARRAGANSETT

All awards won by Dorothy Hellman, Millboro.

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NORTHERN STATES AWARDS

(Continued from page 4)

Champion Young Tom: Black, Oakdale Turkey Farm.

Champion Young Hen: White Holland, Mrs. Cora Strand.

Champion Bronze: Yearling tom, Allen Turkey Farm.

Champion Narragansett: Adult tom, Jim Martinson & Son.

Champion White Holland: Adult hen, Herbie Olson.

Champion Bourbon Red: Yearling hen, Otto Thieke.

Champion Black: Young tom, Oakdale Turkey Farm.

Champion Broad Breasted: Yearling tom, Sunnyslope Farm.

Best Four Young Bronze Toms: Alvin Risbrudt.

Best Four Young Bronze Hens: Alvin Risbrudt.

Best Four Young Narragansett Toms: George Gilbertson.

Best Four Young Narragansett Hens: George Gilbertson.

Best Four Young White Holland Toms: S. M. Dalager.

Best Four Young White Holland Hens: Clarence Mairs & Son.

Best Four Young Bourbon Red Toms: Otto Thieke.

Best Four Young Bourbon Red Hens: Otto Thieke.

Best Display in Bronze: Elvin Risbrudt.

Best Display in Narragansett: George Gilbertson.

Best Display in White Hollands: Herbie Olson.

Best Display in Bourbon Reds: Otto Thieke.

Best Display in Blacks: Oakdale Turkey Farm.

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Exhibitors

Bronze: Allen Turkey Farm, Radium, Minn.; Sisters of St. Benedict, St. Joseph, Minn.; Elvin Risbrudt, Dalton, Minn.; Mrs. W. J. Janda, St. Hilaire, Minn.

Narragansett: Oakdale Turkey Farm, Kensington, Minn.; Jim Martinson & Son, Kensington, Minn.; George Gilbertson, Garfield, Minn.

White Holland: Clarence Mairs & Son, Lisbon, N. Dak.; S. M. Dalager, Glenwood, Minn.; Mrs. Cora Strand, Evansville, Minn.

Bourbon Reds: Clarence Mairs & Son, Lisbon, N. Dak.; Otto Thieke, Beardsley, Minn.

Black: Oakdale Farm, Kensington, Minn.

Broad Breasted: Sunnyslope Farm, North Platte, Nebr.; K. L. Crossland, Grandview, Wash.; Broadway Turkey Farm, Yakima, Wash.; W. H. Keup, Mohall, N. Dak.; Anderson Turkey Farm, Swanville, Minn.; Edd Olson, Swanville, Minn.; O. O. Krueger, Morris, Minn.; Edwin Thompson, Kensington, Minn.

Awards

BRONZE

Old Tom: Allen Turkey Farm 1st.

Old Hen: Allen Turkey Farm 1st.

Heavy Young Tom: Allen Turkey Farm 1-2, Sisters of St. Benedict 3rd.

Heavy Young Hen: Allen Turkey Farm 1-4-5-6-8-9-15, Sisters of St. Benedict 2-3, Elvin Risbrudt 7-10-11-13-14, Mrs. W. J. Janda 12th.

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Old Tom: Jim Martinson & Son 1st, Oakdale Farm 2nd.

Old Hen: Jim Martinson 1-2-3-4, George Gilbertson 5th.

Young Toms 18 pounds and over: George Gilbertson 1-2-4-6-8-9-10-11-13-14-15.

Young Toms under 18 pounds: Oakdale Farm 1-3-6-8, George Gilbertson 2-5-7, Jim Martinson 4-9.

Young Hens 12 pounds or over: George Gilbertson 1-2, Jim Martinson & Son 3rd, Oakdale Farm 4th.

Young Hens under 12 pounds: Jim Martinson 1-7-10-11-14, Oakdale Farm 2-6-9-13-18, George Gilbertson 3-4-5-8-12-15-16-17-19-20.

WHITE HOLLAND

Old Tom: Clarence Mairs & Son 1st, Mrs. Cora Strand 2nd.

Old Hen: Clarence Mairs & Son 1-3-4-5-6-7, S. M. Dalager 2nd, Mrs. Cora Strand 8-9.

Young Toms 18 pounds and over: S. M. Dalager 1-3-4-5, Mrs. Cora Strand 2nd.

Young Toms under 18 pounds: Clarence Mairs & Son 1-3, S. M. Dalager 2-4, Mrs. Cora Strand 5th.

Heavy Young Hen: Mrs. Cora Strand 1st, S. M. Dalager 2-3, Clarence Mairs & Son 4th.

Young Hens under 12 pounds: Mrs. Cora Strand 1-3-5, S. M. Dalager 2-4-6-13-14, Clarence Mairs & Son 7-8-9-10-11-12-15.

BOURBON RED

Old Toms: Otto W. Thieke 1-2, Clarence Mairs & Son 3rd.

Old Hens: Otto W. Thieke 1-2-6-9-10-11-12-15, Clarence Mairs & Son 3-4-5-7-8-13-14.

Young Toms 18 pounds and under: Otto W. Thieke 1-2-5, Clarence Mairs & Son 3-4.

Young Hens under 12 pounds: Otto W. Thieke 1-2-4-5-6-7-8-10-11-14-15, Clarence Mairs & Son 3-9-12-13.

BLACK

All Awards, Oakdale Farm.

BROAD-BREASTED

Old Toms: Sunnyslope Farm 1st, K. L. Crossland 2nd, Anderson Turkey Farm 3rd.

Old Hens: Sunnyslope Farm 1-2-4-6, Anderson Turkey Farm 3-5.

Young Toms 18 pounds and over: O. O. Krueger 1-7, Anderson Turkey Farm 2-8, W. H. Keup 3-6-9, Broadway Turkey Farm 4th, Sunnyslope Farm 5th.

Young Hens 12 pounds and over: Sunnyslope Farm 1-2, W. H. Keup 3-4-9-10-11, Edd Olson 5-6, Anderson Turkey Farm 7th, O. O. Krueger 8th.

Special Awards

Grand Champion: Broad Breasted Young Hen, Sunnyslope Farm.

Reserve Champion: Bronze Young Hen, Allen Turkey Farm.

Sweepstakes Display: Allen Turkey Farm.

Largest Entry: George Gilbertson.

Best Display Bronze: Allen Turkey Farm.

Best Display Narragansett: George Gilbertson.

Best Display White Hollands: Clarence Mairs & Son.

Best Display Bourbon Reds: Otto W. Thieke.

Best Display Blacks: Oakdale Turkey Farm.

Best Display Broad Breasted: Sunnyslope Farm.

Champion Bronze: Allen Turkey Farm.

Champion Narragansett: George Gilbertson.

Champion Bourbon Red: Otto W. Thieke.

Champion Black: Oakdale Turkey Farm.

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Best Display Minnesota: Allen Turkey Farm.

Best Display North Dakota: Clarence Mairs & Son.

Single Pack: Allen Turkey Farm 1st, Anderson Turkey Farm 2nd, W. H. Keup 3rd.

MISSOURI STATE AWARDS

(Continued from page 12)

The Show Banquet was held in the Gymnasium of the Richland High School building. C. C. Keller, County Agent, of Springfield, Missouri, was toastmaster, and Judge Hackett delivered the main address of the evening on A.P.A. banding.

All nine of the domestic varieties of turkeys were represented at the show this year, including the new small white type turkey which isn't much larger than a chicken, and the Royal Palm, which is considered one of the most beautiful of all turkeys. The largest turkey in the show was the Champion of the Broad-Breasted Bronze, an adult tom weighing 46 pounds and belonging to the Nichols Turkey Farm, Lee's Summit, Missouri. The smallest turkey was a six pound hen of the Small White Turkey variety exhibited by J. M. Richardson, Warsaw, Missouri.

A yearling hen exhibited by the DeWitt Brothers, of the Zeeland Hatchery, flew by plane all the way from Zeeland, Michigan, to become the Champion Hen of the Broad-Breasted. Another exhibit coming a very far distance was from the Oakdale Turkey Farm of Kensington, Minnesota.

Other awards in the Show are as follows:

Champions of the Entire Show

Adult Tom: Bronze owned by Mr. and Mrs. C. W. McMicken, Richland, Mo.

Yearling Tom: White Holland owned by Sterling Hornbuckle, Plad, Mo.

Young Tom: Bronze owned by Mrs. M. P. Evans, Stoutland, Mo.

Adult Hen: Bronze owned by Mr. and Mrs. C. W. McMicken.

Yearling Hen: White Holland owned by Sterling Hornbuckle.

Young Hen: Bourbon Red owned by Mrs. Anna Brackett, Richland, Mo.

Breed Champions

Bourbon Red: (Young Hen) Mrs. Anna Brackett.

Broad-Breasted Bronze: (Adult Tom) W. C. Nichols, Lee's Summit, Mo.

Bronze: (Yearling Tom) Mrs. J. W. Davis, Richland, Mo.

Narragansett: (Young Tom) Mrs. Tom Carnes, Richland, Mo.

White Holland: (Yearling Tom) Sterling Hornbuckle.

Black: (Young Tom) Mrs. Anna Brackett.

Slate: (Young Hen) Charles Boyd, Richland, Mo.

Royal Palm: (Young Tom) Mrs. J. L. Gibson, Richland, Mo.

Small White: (Young Tom) J. M. Richardson, Warsaw, Mo.

Best Display

First: Mr. and Mrs. C. W. McMicken (Bronze).

Second: W. C. Nichols (Broad - Breasted Bronze).

Third: Mrs. J. W. Davis (Bronze).

Singles Open Competition

BOURBON RED

Adult Tom (1): Mrs. Sadie Lloyd, Broughton, Kansas, 1st.

Yearling Tom (5): Mrs. Sadie Lloyd, 1st, Kenneth Ogle, Richland, Mo., 2nd; Alvin Brackett, 3rd; Mrs. Anna Brackett, 4th.

Young Tom (14): Mrs. Anna Brackett, 1-2-3-5-10; Dale Bryan, Richland, Mo., 4-7-8-9; and Mrs. Alvin Brackett, 6th.

Yearling Hen (1): Mrs. Anna Brackett, 2nd.

Young Hen (15): Mrs. Anna Brackett, 1-2-

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Yearling Tom (3): W. C. Nichols, 1-2-3.

Young Tom (15): W. C. Nichols, 1-2-3-6-8; Zeeland Hatchery, 5-9; Sterling Hornbuckle, 4-10; Mrs. Chas. Ogle, Richland, Mo., 7th.

Adult Hen (2): W. C. Nichols, 1-2.

Yearling Hen (6): Zeeland Hatchery, 1-4; W. C. Nichols, 2-3-5-6.

Young Hen (17): W. C. Nichols 1-2-5-6-11; Zeeland Hatchery, 3-7-10-15; Sterling Hornbuckle 8-13-14; Mrs. Chas. Ogle, 4-9-12.

BRONZE

Adult Tom (1): Mr. and Mrs. C. W. McMicken, 1st.

Yearling Tom (6): Mrs. J. W. Davis, 1-2-4; Mrs. Oral Evans, Richland, Mo., 3rd; Mrs. A. H. Knight, Richland, 5-6.

Young Tom (40): Mrs. M. P. Evans, Stoutland, Mo., 1-18; Mrs. J. W. Davis, 2-4-5-6-12; Mr. and Mrs. C. W. McMicken, 3-9-10-11; Mrs. Paul Goforth, Richland, 15-17; Mrs. Oral Evans, 7-8-13-16; Mrs. A. H. Knight, 14th; James Knight, Richland, 19-20.

Adult Hen (4): Mr. and Mrs. C. W. McMicken, 1st; Mrs. A. H. Knight, 2nd.

Yearling Hen (12): Mrs. A. H. Knight, 1-4-5-6; James Knight, 2-3-7-8; Mrs. Oral Evans, 9-10.

Young Hen (38): Mr. and Mrs. C. W. McMicken, 1-2-20; Mrs. J. L. Bibson, 3-13-17; Mrs. A. H. Knight, 8-11; Mrs. Oral Evans 14th; Mrs. J. W. Davis, 12-16-18; Mrs. M. P. Evans, 10-15-19; Mrs. Paul Goforth, 5-6-9; James Knight, 4th.

NARRAGANSETT

Young Tom (9): Mrs. Tom Carnes, Richland, 1-4-6-8-9; Oakdale Turkey Farm, Kensington, Minn., 2-3; Roy Snoderly, 5-7.

Adult Hen (2): Mrs. Ed. Polson, Richland, 1-2.

Young Hen (8): Roy Snoderly, 1-2-6; Mrs. Tom Carnes, 3-4-5-7-8.

WHITE HOLLAND

Yearling Tom (1): Sterling Hornbuckle, 1st.

Young Tom (10): Sterling Hornbuckle, 1-2-3-7; Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Wrinkle, Lebanon, Mo., 4-5-6-9-10; James A. Brackett, Richland, 8th.

Yearling Hen (1): Sterling Hornbuckle, 1st.

Young Hen (11): Sterling Hornbuckle, 1-2-3-4; Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Wrinkle, 5-6-8-10; and James A. Brackett, 7-9.

BLACK

All Awards to Mrs. Anna Brackett, Richland.

SLATE

Young Tom (5): Mrs. Tom Carnes, 1-5; Charles Boyd, Richland, 2-3-4.

Young Hen (3): Charles Boyd, 1-2; Mrs. Tom Carnes, 3rd.

ROYAL PALM

Young Tom (9): Mrs. J. L. Gibson, Richland, 1-6-7-8; Dale Bryan, Richland, 2-3-4-5.

Young Hen (10): Dale Bryan, 1-3-4-5-7; Mrs. J. L. Gibson, 2-6-8-9-10.

SMALL WHITE

All Awards to J. M. Richardson, Warsaw, Mo.

IMPORTANT DATES

Jan. 12-16, 1942—19th annual All-American Turkey Show, Grand Forks, North Dakota. Dyke Page, President and Manager, Grand Forks, N. Dak.

Jan. 14-18, 1942—Live and Dressed Turkey Show, with the 93rd Boston Poultry Show. Paul Ives, Chairman, New Haven, Conn.

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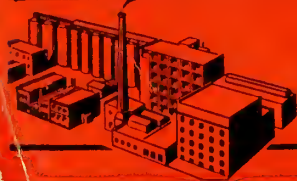
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